PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Docket No: Q96589 Hiroshi SUGIYAMA, et al. Appln. No.: 10/598,789 Group Art Unit: 1626 Confirmation No.: 1416 Examiner: Yong Liang CHU Filed: September 12, 2006 NOVEL INDOLE DERIVATIVE FOR ALKYLATING SPECIFIC BASE SEQUENCE For: OF DNA AND ALKYLATING AGENT AND DRUG CONTAINING THE **DERIVATIVE** PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. TABLE OF CONTENTS